language, giving or conveying any notice, hint or reference to any person or to the name of any person real or fictitious from whom or to any place, house, shop or office where any poison, drug, mixture, preparation, medicine or noxious thing, or any instrument or means whatsoever, or any advice, direction, information or knowledge may be obtained for the purpose of causing the miscarriage or abortion of any woman pregnant with child, shall be punished by imprisonment in the penitentiary at hard labor for not less than three years, or by a fine of not less than five hundred dollars, nor more than one thousand dollars, or both, in the discretion of the Court, and in case of fine being imposed one-half shall be paid to the informer.

In force.

Sec. 17. Be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

CHAPTER 186.

Passed Mar. AN ACT to add the following sections to Article 22, 1867. eighty-one of the Code of Public General Laws, title, Revenue and Taxes, sub-title direct Taxes, relating to the sale of real and leasehold estates for taxes in the several counties.

Additional sections.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the following sections be added to Article eighty-one, of the Code of Public General Laws, title Revenue and Taxes, sub-title direct Taxes, and re-arranged under the head of section direct taxes in said Article.

Sec. 1. That in all cases where lands held in quired to make report to the fee-simple or by lease have been sold or shall be Judge of the sold for payment of taxes in arrears according to Circuit Court the provisions of oviction leaves the provisions of ovictions and the provisions of the provisions of the provisions of ovictions and the provisions of the provisions the provisions of existing laws, it shall be the duty of the collector of taxes to report the said sale, together with all the proceedings had in re-